

Political Talk of the Day.

Republican Caucus In Phillips.

At a Republican caucus held in Phillips last Wednesday afternoon the following delegates and alternates were chosen to attend the Republican State convention in Bangor, June 29: Delegates—J. W. Brackett, H. B. Austin, S. G. Haley. Alternates—H. F. Beedy, J. H. Byron, Fletcher Pope.

By vote of the caucus they were instructed to support Hon. William T. Cobb for governor, first, last and all the time. The following delegates were chosen to attend the Franklin County Republican convention at Farmington, June 7: H. F. Beedy, S. G. Haley, J. H. Byron, D. F. Field, Fletcher Pope, Fremont Scamman, A. J. Fuller, A. D. Graffam, R. S. Beedy.

The delegates to attend the County convention were instructed to support B. Frank Beal of Phillips for county commissioner and to do all in their power to secure his nomination. The town committee elected were: H. B. Austin, D. F. Field, B. F. Beal, H. F. Beedy, J. W. Brackett.

It is noted with interest that since the Wilton caucus was held, a Fernald paper has credited their four delegates to Fernald—although they were not instructed. It would be so much nicer to put the Wilton delegates under the "un-instructed" column with the others.

At a Republican caucus in Coplin Plantation last Saturday I. W. Greene was chosen delegate to attend the Bangor convention and John Greene was chosen delegate for the County convention. The latter was instructed to support Hon. F. W. Patterson of Industry for senator.

Hon. Bert M. Fernald of Poland, candidate for governor, was in Phillips Friday afternoon and evening of last week and he returned Saturday, having decided to make no attempt to carry Phillips or North Franklin against Mr. Cobb.

The people of Weld, who are booming their townsman, Joseph A. Witham for high sheriff, point with pride to Mr. Witham's long record of efficient service as deputy sheriff. He has been deputy for the past 22 years and he bears an enviable record as an officer.

The Republican town committee of Phillips has recommended to the selectmen, J. Mel Wheeler for ballot clerk and C. N. French for election clerk.

The delegates chosen at Wilton last Saturday to attend the Republican State convention at Bangor were W. E. Sawyer, Enoch Bridges, L. T. Adams and F. N. Blanchard. They were uninstructed and we have the word of a part of the delegation that none of them are not pledged to Fernald as claimed by the Lewiston Journal. The governor question was secondary in Wilton for the reason that Hon. C. N. Blanchard was putting up the fight of his life to prevent Mr. Harthorn, candidate for senator from Wilton, from getting the Wilton delegation. This he succeeded in doing by a vote of 101 to 95 and the Wilton delegation is for H. A. Furbish of Rangeley.

The delegates from Jay to attend the State convention at Bangor are J. A. Emery, Geo. W. Stone and Dennis Adams, instructed for Fernald.

About Wm. T. Cobb.

An ardent supporter of Hon. Wm. T. Cobb who lives in another part of the county suggests that we publish the remarks of Hon. Leslie C. Cornish of Augusta at the Republican caucus for the purpose of choosing delegates to attend the State convention at Bangor and we take pleasure in doing so. Mr. Cornish said:

"Mr. Chairman and Fellow Republicans: "Unless I mistake the temper of the Republicans of this city, they are earnestly in favor of the nomination of the Hon. William T. Cobb of Rockland, as our standard bearer in the coming gubernatorial campaign.

"I have known Mr. Cobb intimately for the past 25 years and I know him to be just the kind of a man whom the Republicans of Augusta would delight to honor. As young men we took our legal education together at the Harvard Law school, and as roommates we ate together, slept together and worked together. I came to know him thoroughly

as young men under like circumstances come to know each other, and I am only too glad to say that he is as clean, as straightforward, as honest and as high-minded a man as is to be found within the limits of our state. Should he be elected as governor of our state, I venture to say that no man has ever been elected better equipped to fill that high office, both mentally and morally, than he.

"It gives me great pleasure to propose the following list of delegates from this city to the Republican convention at Bangor, and to move their nomination by acclamation."

At the conclusion of the remarks of Mr. Cornish the following delegates and alternates were elected by acclamation:

Delegates—Governor John F. Hill, Congressman Edwin C. Burleigh, Mayor G. A. Robertson, Hon. H. M. Heath, Hon. Leslie C. Cornish, W. Fred White, W. L. Thompson, George A. Cloutier, Roland A. Scribner, Kervin R. Hanks, Lucius Hill, L. G. Haskell, Frank G. Farrington, J. M. Cross.

Alternates—E. C. Farrington, Charles E. Purinton, Henry A. Heath, Frank L. Dutton, E. A. Hussey, Byron Boyd, B. B. Wentworth, Charles E. Holt, Manley W. Saunders, Joseph Pomerleau, F. X. Courtemanch, Daniel L. Allen, Oliver W. Turner, Prescott Wood.

At a Republican caucus in Rangeley Tuesday evening, May 10, the following delegates were chosen to attend the Republican County convention at Farmington, June 7: Phineas Richardson, John R. Toothaker, Gerry A. Proctor, Geo. M. Esty, Frank W. Jacobs.

The delegation was empowered to fill vacancies and they were instructed to do all in their power to secure the nomination of H. A. Furbish for senator.

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Franklin county are invited to send delegates to meet in convention in Music hall, Farmington, on Tuesday, June 7, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the next state election, for the following offices, viz. State Senator, Judge of Probate, Sheriff, County Commissioner, County Attorney, County Treasurer, also to choose a County Committee and transact any other business that may properly come before the convention. The basis of representation will be as follows: Each town and plantation will be entitled to one delegate, and one additional delegate for every twenty votes or a majority fraction thereof, cast for the Republican candidate for governor in 1902. Upon this basis the several towns and plantations will be entitled to the following number of delegates:

Avon,	3	Rangeley,	5
Carthage,	3	Salem,	2
Chesterville,	5	Strong,	6
Eustis,	2	Temple,	4
Farmington,	20	Weld,	6
Freeman,	2	Wilton,	12
Industry,	3	PLANTATIONS,	
Jay,	9	Coplin,	1
Kingfield,	8	Dallas,	1
Madrid,	2	Greenville,	1
New Sharon,	8	Lang,	1
New Vineyard,	4	Rangeley,	1
Phillips,	9	Total,	118

H. H. RICE, FRED O. SMITH, HARRY A. FURBISH, CHAS. T. HODGKINS, ENOCH BRIDGES, } Republican County Committee.

A Republican State Convention

WILL BE HELD IN
CITY HALL, BANGOR,
Wednesday, June 29, 1904,
AT 1.30 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor to be supported at the September Election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: Each City, Town and Plantation will be entitled to one delegate; and for each 75 votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1902, an additional delegate, and for a fraction of 40 votes in excess of 75 votes, a further additional delegate. Vacancies in the delegation of any City, Town or Plantation can only be filled by residents of the County in which the vacancies exist.

The State Committee will be in session in the reception room of the Hall at 12.30 o'clock p. m., on the day of the convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates. Delegates, in order to be eligible to participate in the Convention must be elected subsequent to the date of the call for this Convention.

All electors of Maine, without regard to past political affiliations, who believe in the principles of the Republican Party and endorse its policies, are cordially invited to unite under this call in electing delegates to this Convention.

Per Order, Republican State Committee.
F. M. SIMPSON, Chairman.
BYRON BOYD, Secretary.
Bangor, April 23, 1904.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Horrible Accident at Austin & Co.'s Mill.

Frank Hunter Burned So That He Lives But Few Hours.

Last Tuesday afternoon between 5 and 6 o'clock occurred a most terrible accident and one in which Mr. Frank Hunter lost his life.

Mr. Austin was having the roof tarred. As near as they could learn from Mr. Hunter in regard to how the accident happened was this: Mr. Hunter was heating a kettle of tar on the forge and as he lifted the kettle it caught on fire. He stepped back quickly and turned his face to avoid the flames and in doing so fell, spilling the burning tar all over him. He rushed out to the boiler room, quite a little distance, where he found Mr. Will Austin, who grabbed a suit of overalls hanging there and wrapped them around his head and face.

J. E. Noble was soon on the scene and taking a broom swept the flames downward and the fire was finally extinguished by the broom, but not before Mr. Hunter was fatally burned. His clothes were entirely burned up, the only remaining articles being a waistband and shoes. The doctor said that more than three quarters of the flesh on his body was burned off. It was thought best not to try to move him to his home and he was placed on a cot bed in the engine room where he remained through the night. He had his senses when not under the influence of opiates and talked some, but he realized that he could not live and was much troubled about his wife and children. Mr. Hunter was a Catholic and Fr. J. N. Deslites of Farmington was telephoned for and he drove to Phillips, arriving a little after 10 o'clock, only two hours and 35 minutes having elapsed since the time he received the message and his arrival. It caused Mr. Hunter much happiness to have the priest present and he remained with him a few hours.

It was decided if there was any chance at all for the injured man he had better be taken to the hospital. Accompanied by Dr. J. F. Hilton and Michael Mahoney, they left on the 7.30 train for the Maine Central hospital in Lewiston but Mr. Hunter died before reaching Livermore. The body was taken to the undertaker's there and placed in a casket and brought to Phillips on the night train Wednesday. The funeral services have not yet been arranged for.

Those who saw Mr. Hunter said it was the most pitiful and horrible scene they ever witnessed.

Mr. Will Austin said when he saw Mr. Hunter coming towards him that the flames were leaping so high and he was so entirely enveloped in them that he could not see his face at all.

Mr. H. B. Austin and family have done all in their power for the comfort of the suffering man and his family and the hearts of the people of Phillips go out in sympathy to his wife and four little children in this terrible sorrow.

Mr. Hunter has always been a very industrious man, doing all in his power for his family. He has been employed in Austin & Company's mill for some time and evenings he has been running a barber shop at the upper village. He has always been rather unfortunate. A few years ago he lost one eye from an explosion of dynamite, at another time a finger and last year he was operated on for appendicitis. We are glad to learn that his life was insured for \$2,000 in the A. O. U. W.

Obituary.

CORDELIA RICH GOLDER.

Cordelia Rich Golder was born in the town of New Sharon, a mile below Farmington Falls, on the banks of Sandy river, July 2, 1817, and died at Lisbon Falls April 8, 1904. Her age was thus nearly 87 years.

Her father and mother, Theophilus H. Rich and Delia Perry, were from Wellfleet and Truro, near the extreme end of Cape Cod. The Rich family were among the first settlers of the Cape and were from England. They were pioneers in settling the Sandy river valley. Mrs. Golder was one of ten children, Esquire J. G. Rich of Rangeley fame being a younger brother and Mrs. P. G. Laughton of Boston being the sole survivor.

Mrs. Golder was the wife of Fairfield Golder, who was well known as a shoemaker in Strong and Phillips. He was buried in Strong in 1886. They had ten children, of whom seven survived until the ranks were broken by the death of Eva Golder a year ago last winter.

Mrs. Golder had been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Rand Harden of Phillips, and took the trip to Lisbon Falls alone only nine days before she passed away. She had a bad cold when she started and it proved to be an attack of grip, completely exhausting her strength. She had a remarkable constitution and under more favorable circumstances might have lived many years longer. She was a member of the Methodist church in Strong, to which town she was taken for burial.

Clough—Baker.

There was a very quiet wedding at high noon Thursday at the Main street F. B. parsonage in Lewiston. The contracting parties were Miss Susie C. Baker of Lewiston and Mr. Harry T. Clough of this city, who is just now located in Kingfield as manager of a branch store for A. L. & E. F. Goss. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Baker of this city.

Dr. A. T. Salley performed the ceremony, the ring service being used. There were no attendants other than a few witnesses. The bride was simply but prettily gowned in brown and white satin foulard. She carried flowers.

After the young people were pronounced man and wife, they left for Kingfield, where they are to make their home for the present. Both have the good wishes of many friends in these cities. Mr. Clough has been with the Goss Co. for some time and is an estimable young man. The bride has been a stenographer for several Lewiston firms at different times, of late being employed in Goss's store. —Lewiston Journal.

Tory Hill, Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hoyt visited Mrs. Hoyt's brother, A. R. Sedgely, one day recently.

Henry Ramsdell of Auburn attended the funeral of Roscoe Dyer last Friday. Rev. W. L. Phillips of East Wilton preached at West Freeman last Sunday. Rev. G. C. Howard of Strong will preach there next Sunday at 2.30 p. m.

The land is very wet. Farmers are getting anxious about their spring work as considerable of the land was too wet to work before the storm.

Miss Edna Gates is stopping at Chas. Hutchins for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moores visited at S. F. Brackley's one day last week. Chas Smith was in Kingfield over Sunday.

Wm. Moores has finished work in Salem and returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Brackley visited at Will Gates's one day recently.

Charlie Hood was home one day last week.

Will Hoyt and Will Rideout were callers on the hill recently.

W. E. Gates bought a nice horse of Geo. French last week. He also sold two cows to Nathaniel Willard of Strong. Miss Florence Smith spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

D. H. Soule began sending his cream to Turner Center cream factory last Friday.

Mile Square, Avon.

Bert Allard, a horse dealer of Rockland, has been stopping at L. G. Voter's while buying horses in this vicinity.

Spring is very backward. Grass and trees seem to be as forward as usual but the cold rains have delayed spring work.

Harold Worthley secured a large haul of smelts at Sweet's pond last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gleason were at their cottage on Sweet's pond last week. They secured no large fish but smelts were found in abundance.

Mrs. Caleb Brimigion had the misfortune to fall and injure her back last week.

Dana Sweet was on the hill the first of the week studying birds.

But little grafting was done owing to the difficulty of securing scions. H.

Reed's Mill.

The Ladies' circle having purchased a bell, it will be placed in the belfry of the church next Saturday afternoon, May 21. All are cordially invited.

ONE OF THE COMMITTEE.

Terrible Accident.

A terrible accident happened at North Vassalboro on the line of the Waterville, Wiscasset & Farmington railroad last Friday noon, in which Edwin C. Roberts of Farmington, formerly of this town, was killed.

Mr. Roberts was in charge of the work train, which consisted of an engine and some flat cars, with a flange between. In passing over a frog the flange caught and threw a part of the train from the track. Mr. Roberts saw the brake as it dropped and sprang to catch it, but was too late and falling dropped between the flange and the flat car, the wheels passing over his body. The body was badly injured and many bones broken, his back being broken in two places. He lived about an hour after the accident and although it is believed he was partially conscious he had no use of his vocal powers.

Mr. Roberts leaves a wife and four children, a father, mother, two brothers and five sisters.

Funeral services were held from the home of his father, Sunday at 2 p. m., Rev. Mr. Coar officiating. He was 44 years of age.

Bigelow Gleanings.

Vera Berry, while playing in the school yard, fell and broke both bones in her right arm. This is the third time she has had the misfortune to break this arm in the past six months. Dr. Parker was called and set the bones. The little girl was getting along as well as could be expected at last reports.

Dr. Pennell and wife spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown. All are glad to see the Doctor out again after his severe illness.

F. A. Niles spent Sunday at Kingfield.

C. Campbell, formerly of this town but now of Kingfield, is here looking after his goods which he has stored here. He found someone had broken into his house taking a number of articles, among them a valuable rifle. He thinks he knows the parties and hopes to soon recover the goods.

E. E. Morse and wife made a shopping trip to Kingfield, Saturday.

Misses Maude Dowling and Phyllis Rackliff were in Stratton, Saturday.

F. C. Burrill is in town plowing the cottagers gardens. The farmers are gladdened by a much needed rain.

Grass is looking finely and the leaves are growing rapidly.

Mrs. Everett Holt of Phillips visited her sister, Mrs. J. E. Holman, recently.

Mrs. L. G. Rackliff attended the funeral of R. A. Dyer at West Freeman, Friday.

Will Oleson of Stratton is moving his family into the cottage recently vacated by C. C. Quimby.

Dandelion greens are on nearly every bill of fare these days. COR.

Coplin.

Mrs. Helen Taylor of Stratton visited her sister, Mrs. Alice Jones, a few days last week.

Guy Sedgely and Miss Helen Dyer of Stratton were the guests of Omer Dyer over Sunday.

Miss Lottie Taylor is able to ride out again. She has been sick since last February.

Mrs. Ave Jones of Stratton is going to work for Mrs. L. D. Grose through the summer season.

F. J. Hammond has been to work on his farm the past three days. He returned to Flagstaff Saturday night.

Guy Jones is driving Greene's stage this summer.

C. H. Hammond and daughter, Nellie, were in Flagstaff Saturday of last week.

Cliff Taylor and family of Stratton visited at C. H. Hammond's over Sunday.

Messrs. A. C. and E. A. Vaughan went to Rangeley Monday to work on the Lake drive.

The train arrives at Greene's Farm at 8 p. m. and leaves at 10.30 a. m. the next day.

Mrs. Laura Williamson was called to Bigelow Sunday to care for her granddaughter. She returned home Tuesday.

Elmer Blackwell went to Flagstaff to Mason meeting Saturday night.

C. H. Hammond was in Rangeley Monday of last week.

That Beautiful Gloss

comes from the varnish in Devoe's Varnish Floor Paint; costs 5 cents more a quart though. Sold by W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips, and Neal, Oakes & Quimby, Rangeley.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

At the Union church the pulpit was occupied by Rev. W. L. Phillips of East Wilton. The text for the morning service was Heb. ii, 3, "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation?"

The world is full of inquiries. The child is continually asking questions. There is always something about which he seeks information and about which he can best learn by asking of others. Older people, also, we find making inquiries and entering upon discussions. Political questions interest very many. We hear of caucuses and conventions and for the next few months the land will be full of discussions about these matters. Which is the best party? Which is the best man for a certain position? What principles shall we most wisely maintain? Who will best promote our interests? These and many other questions will be asked and answered in various ways. Agricultural societies meet and discuss matters of interest to their members and seek to learn the best methods of work. Questions regarding all sorts of business are daily asked by many persons. Is it not right in the spiritual realm also to ask questions about those things which have an eternal interest? Surely it is, and I ask you today to consider a question of the greatest importance. "How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation?"

We acknowledge the fact of the existence of sin. Yet we find no person, I doubt if you have seen a person, who deliberately says, "I desire to be bad," or anyone who will say that he cares nothing for goodness, or any who will say that he finds it easy to live of himself the life with which he would appear before God. Sin is about us, temptation assails us. We look for escape. The knowledge of need, the knowledge that we are in the bondage of sin, is not sufficient to save. The captive lion may fill the air with the thunder of his roaring, he may beat the walls of his cage in a frenzy of rebellion, against his captivity, but the fierceness of his anger, and the strength of his yearning for his African jungles avail him nothing if there be no one to set him free from his imprisonment.

Many times in our lives we find that means in which we trusted for salvation from some threatened danger have proved insufficient. Sickness enters the home. The child, the wife, some dear one is stricken with disease. The physician is summoned. All that he can do he does to arrest the progress of the disease. Yet the loved one dies. There was no lack of willing ones or of desire to save, no lack of attempt to save, but there was lack of power. A vessel upon its ocean way meets a storm. Though every effort is made to save the vessel and preserve the lives of passengers, they go down to a watery grave. There is lack of power. We remember the sorrow that came to many a heart when it was known that the ill-fated Portland had been lost in that November storm that sent hundreds to their death. We say it was a total loss. Not one survived to tell the story of the conflict with the waves. Yet I cannot believe that for all on board there was total loss. Surely there were praying hearts that laid hold upon him that is mighty to save, and although their bodies rest beneath the waters, they have found a great salvation. I might call to your mind many illustrations of the danger of neglecting preparation for the experience of change that surely awaits us. Again and again in the towns about us and to people who have been our acquaintances has death come suddenly and unexpectedly. But there is one whose eye can pity and whose arm can save. Nothing but neglect will prevent our salvation.

Let us consider some of the features of greatness in the salvation provided for us. It is a great, because it is a gracious salvation. Not for our merit is it bestowed but in the mercy of God. The only claim we can urge is that of our need. Again it is a sufficient salvation. It does not fail in the hour of trial, but it is able to meet every test. It is also a universal salvation. It is provided for everyone. "Whosoever" is the word of God. No one is shut off from the way of escape which is offered in Christ Jesus our Lord. Offered not only to meet every need, but to meet every need of every person!

And lastly, let me tell you that it is the only salvation. No other name is given whereby we must be saved. We know we are in danger, we look for escape and see that God has set before us a way. If we be lost it will be because we neglect his way. There is no escape from sin or from the despair that follows sin save in Jesus Christ. But thanks be to God, in him is abundant salvation, in him is the power that overcomes and it is freely offered to all who will accept.

Neglect not this great salvation.

West Phillips.

The season is as forward as the average. The old drift at the Cottle brook hill is 12 feet deep and bids fair to furnish ice for celebration the 4th of July. Grass is unusually large and everything indicates a very fruitful and prosperous year.

The farmers are all out on the land and the most of them have got their early truck in the ground and a few of them have peas and potatoes up.

The last train of logs was hauled to the mill at Madrid station from No. 6 last week.

Hezekiah Lufkin and Chas. Guile both lost nice cows recently.

Roscoe G. Whitney lost a grade Jersey heifer one day last week.

Will Leavitt has been delivering apple tree stock here. Judging by the quality he delivered we should say that he would get some large orders this year.

Lizzie Toothaker was home from school recently from the effects of a bad cold. But we are glad to report her as able to return to school again.

Mrs. Wm. F. Calden and daughter, Carrie, visited the former's sister, Mrs. G. L. Kempton, last week.

Frank J. Toothaker wintered 16 sheep that sheared 136 pounds of wool, which averaged 8½ pounds of wool. He has a yearling Shropshire buck that sheared 18 pounds of wool. If any farmer in town can furnish a better record we would like to hear from them. Frank has peas that have been up two weeks, radishes and other garden truck up and rhubarb large enough for sauce.

We had a much needed rain May 10 on the

BORDER.

District No. 2, Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McKenny and son, Arlon, called on friends on the Mile Square the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Bunnell and children spent Thursday with Mr. L. B. Field and family.

Charles Stevens, who has been suffering with rheumatism for several weeks, went to Farmington last Thursday for treatment. We understand he is gaining slowly.

May basket parties are all the rage now. Hardly a night passes that some lad or lassie isn't the recipient of a nice basket well filled with good things.

Mrs. Mary Moores is caring for Mrs. L. D. Shepard.

One day last week a fine little girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shepard. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

Forrest Brown, who has been employed by the Berlin Mills Co. and living in Charles Prescott's house, moved his family to Mechanic Falls last week.

Orville Hutchins, who has been living in Kingfield, has moved his family into the rent just vacated by Mr. Brown.

East Madrid.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harnden and daughters of North Phillips visited at Orrin McKen's recently. Mr. Harnden moved his family last week to Bean's Corner. We are sorry to lose them from this vicinity and the best wishes of the community go with them.

After a recess of a few weeks, the Ladies' circle met last Thursday with Miss Sarah Moulton. All enjoyed the day. Adjourned to meet this week, Thursday, with Mrs. Cora Wheeler.

Bert Brawn is at work for J. H. Welts.

Clark McKeen, with his two children, Edith and Robbie of Reed's Mill, was in this place recently.

Miss Carrie Wing is at work for Mrs. J. H. Welts.

Loren Welts and daughter, Mrs. Blanche Gould, attended the funeral of his sister in Phillips, Saturday.

X-RAYS.

Fairbanks.

On Thursday of last week the funeral of Henry Pike was conducted by Dennis Clark at the chapel. Rev. Mr. Coar preached the sermon. The interment was at Strong.

Mrs. W. A. Hoyt is slightly improved in health.

Mrs. David Currier is suffering from very poor health.

Mrs. Hannah Pratt and George Pratt of New Vineyard called on friends here last week.

The youngest son of A. C. Nickerson is at the hospital to be treated for spinal trouble.

Children's Spring Tonic.

After a long winter the children's blood flows sluggishly, the bowels are irregular and the channels of the body clogged. This is the chance for which disease has been lying in wait. No time should be lost in cleansing the blood and regulating the stomach with a good spring medicine. For children's ailments nothing equals Dr. True's Worm Elixir. A few doses will expel worms, if any, and tone up the whole system. A better spring medicine cannot be found. Twenty thousand bottles were sold in March alone. Price 35 cts., at all druggists.



A prominent club woman, Mrs. Danforth, of St. Joseph, Mich., tells how she was cured of falling of the womb and its accompanying pains and misery by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Life looks dark indeed when a woman feels that her strength is fading away and she has no hopes of ever being restored. Such was my feeling a few months ago when I was advised that my poor health was caused by prolapsus or falling of the womb. The words sounded like a knell to me, I felt that my sun had set; but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound came to me as an elixir of life; it restored the lost forces and built me up until my good health returned to me. For four months I took the medicine daily and each dose added health and strength. I am so thankful for the help I obtained through its use."—Mrs. FLORENCE DANFORTH, 1007 Miles Ave., St. Joseph, Mich.

A medicine that has restored so many women to health and can produce proof of the fact must be regarded with respect. This is the record of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which cannot be equalled by any other medicine the world has ever produced. Here is another case:—



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For years I was troubled with falling of the womb, irregular and painful menstruation, leucorrhoea, bearing-down pains, backache, headache, dizzy and fainting spells, and stomach trouble.

"I doctored for about five years but did not seem to improve. I began the use of your medicine, and have taken seven bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, three of Blood Purifier, and also used the Sanative Wash and Liver Pills, and am now enjoying good health, and have gained in flesh.

I thank you very much for what you have done for me, and heartily recommend your medicine to all suffering women."—Miss EMMA SNYDER, 218 East Center St., Marion, Ohio.

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Women would save time and much sickness if they would write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice as soon as any distressing symptoms appear. It is free, and has put thousands of women on the right road to recovery.

Mrs. Pinkham never violates the confidence thus entrusted to her, and although she publishes thousands of testimonials from women who have been benefited by her advice and medicine, never in all her experience has she published such a letter without the full consent, and often by special request of the writer.

\$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Byron.

Harriman Baneroff of Lewiston visited here for a few days and also to look after his Byron property.

The farmers are busy planting. Some have finished, while others have but just commenced.

Isaac Fouchett of Roxbury is loading cars at Gum corner with spruce that came from the Huston lot.

Jack Ferren has built a camp on the Mason lot and will cut and peel poplar, spruce and fir during the summer. He has moved his family there.

A grange was organized here last week by W. L. Larrabee, state deputy, with 35 charter members. Officers elected as follows: H. H. Richards, master; A. S. Young, overseer; Mrs. W. A. Arns, lecturer; E. G. Knapp, steward; Jotham Shaw, assistant steward; Mrs. A. S. Young, chaplain; H. C. Young, secretary; F. D. Abbott, treasurer; C. A. Mardin, gate keeper; Miss Agnes A. Thomas, cress; Miss Ethel Philbrick, pomona; Miss Bertha A. Thomas, flora; Mrs. E. G. Knapp, lady assistant steward. The grange will be known as North Star grange, P. of H., No. 130.

A Cure For Piles.

"I had a bad case of piles," says G. F. Carter of Atlanta, Ga., "and consulted a physician who advised me to try a box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. I purchased a box and was entirely cured. It is splendid for piles, giving relief instantly and I heartily recommend it to all sufferers." DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is unequalled for its healing qualities. Eczema and other skin diseases, also sores, cuts, burns and wounds of every kind are quickly cured by it. Sold by W. A. D. Cragin.

Eunists.

Dr. Brimigion of Stratton was called in town the 13th to attend John P. Sylvester, who had an attack of appendicitis, but is some better at this writing. George Fassett has come to Lewiston to purchase some horses.

Mr and Mrs. C. J. B. Bell and help arrived in town the 14th on their annual trip to "The Chimes."

A Guaranteed Cure For Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles Your druggist will refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days. 50 cts.

Wanted Young Men

to fit themselves to fill the many situations we have for Cashiers, Stenographers, Typewriters and office men in general. Salaries offered from \$9.00 per week to \$1400 per year to begin. Preparation involves but a short time and a moderate cost. Send for particulars to....

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send for our free description blanks. We require no payment in advance. We use our own money to advertise your property. Over 300 sales in Maine since 1901 to men from 20 states is our guarantee to you that our methods are right. If you want to buy a farm get our FREE Catalog. It will tell you where the bargains are and save you time and money.

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We have made arrangements whereby we can make the following offer:

The Tri Weekly Tribune,	\$1.50
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Maine Woodsman, 1 year,	\$1.50
	\$3.00
Our price	\$2.25
The Tribune Farmer, (weekly)	\$1.00
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	\$2.50
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Maine Woods and	
Maine Woodsman, 1 year,	\$1.50
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J. W. BRACKETT, Phillips, Me.	

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The leading county papers and THE AMERICAN FARMER

all for \$2.00. This unparalleled offer is made to all new subscribers, and all old ones who pay up all arrears and renew within thirty days. Samples copies free. Address,

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ADVERTISING.

In these days live merchants are looking for profit. They are placing their advertisements where, in their best judgement, they will do them the most good. Time was, we are told, when the store keeper used to give the newspaper man an advertisement, "just to help out the paper."

That would be considered a senseless performance now.

We want advertisements from people who want to get their money's worth out of their advertising.

We want advertisements from people who intend to give their advertisements some care and attention.

We want advertisements from business people who realize that they have something to say to the more than ten thousand readers of MAINE WOODSMAN, if they would make their business all that it should be.

To such people, the MAINE WOODSMAN advertising columns present indeed a rare bargain.

The MAINE WOODSMAN has the readers—more than ten thousand of them—without which all advertising would be a failure—money thrown away.

But IT PAYS to advertise in MAINE WOODSMAN. If in doubt try it.

Classified advertisements only one cent a word.

J. W. BRACKETT, Phillips, Maine.

UP IN KINGFIELD.

Special correspondence to Maine Woodsman.
Kingfield, May 17, 1904.
M. A. Jewell, manager of the Union Mutual Life Insurance company of Portland was in town the first of the week.
Fred Page, who has been working for the late Thos. Bradbury at North Freeman the past winter, has returned to his home.
George A. Young of Portland was in town this week.
Sewall Vose, Jr., is recovering from a recent attack of pneumonia.
Miss Katherine Campbell, the popular bookkeeper for the Jenkins & Bogert Mfg. Company, is spending the week at her home in Whitefield.

KINGFIELD.

MASON PARKER, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon,
Kingfield, - - Maine.
Telephone Connection. Office at Residence.

LADIES

Call and see my line of Patch Work Pieces. A large bunch for 5c.
R. FRANK COOK, Agt.,
Kingfield, - - Maine.

Don't Forget This WALL PAPER

Curtains, Latest Patterns, lowest prices.
L. L. MITCHELL,
Druggist,
Kingfield, - Maine.

Worms?

Many children are troubled with worms, and treated for something else. A few doses of
Dr. True's Elixir
will expel worms if they exist, and prove a valuable tonic if there are no worms. See at druggists.
DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

JUST OPENED

A NEW LINE OF

Spring and Summer Goods.

New line of Ladies' Tailor made Skirts in all the latest and up to date styles.
In Novelty, Golfs, Voiles, Autos, Cassimere, Melton and Frieze Dress Goods.

LADIES' WRAPPERS

Only \$1.00,

in all colors and styles. Just received a new line of Ladies' Shirt Waists, one of the best lines that will be shown in the county this season.

Ladies' Belts, Neckwear, Shirt Waists Sets, Stock Pins, Hat Pins, Beauty Pins, Side Combs and Fancy Combs for the hair, and Hair Pins in all the latest styles and shapes.

A new line of Prints, Gingham, Muslins, Novelty Goods, Silk Vesting for Shirt Waists, large line of White Goods, line of Novelty Goods for children's dressess.

Remember we carry a large line of Dress Trimmings and Dress Linings, Laces, Insertions, Hamburgs and Insertion to match, Lace, Beading and Fancy Goods of all kinds found in an up to date dry goods store.

Muslin Underwear for Ladies a full line, Ladies' and Children's Hosiery and Underwear of all kinds, and all prices.

I have just added a new line of Oil Cloth for floors, and Straw Matting, Curtains, etc.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

One of the largest lines of Boots and Shoes in the County. Urban and King Quality Shoes for men in patent leather and plain leather, both high and low.

A full line of Bass Shoes for men and boys, the best line of work shoes made.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes in all of the latest styles. New line of Lawn Tennis Shoes for Men, Boys, Misses and Children just received.

S. J. WYMAN,
French Block, - Kingfield, Me.
Telephone Connection. American Express Office

Charlie George and his family have returned from Bangor, where Mrs. George has been spending the winter. They will remain in town for the present.

Wm. L. Lovejoy of the Jenkins & Bogert Company, who is to go to Idaho, plans to leave town about the first of June.

Miss Rachel Hennigar, who has been spending some time in Nova Scotia, has returned to this town.

Merle Butts, clerk at the Kingfield House, who has been spending a week's vacation with his brother, Otto in Lewiston, returned home last Monday night.

A. M. Jones and John Durrell of Stratton, also Miles Wyman of Eustis, were in town the past week.

Fred Lane of Boston, formerly of this town, was called here recently by the critical illness of his sister, Mrs. Ed Parsons.

Mrs. Rilla Markee of Lowell, Mass., is visiting relatives and friends in town.

Among those who took advantage of the excursion to Lewiston last week were M. D. P. Thompson, G. M. Vose, Mrs. E. E. Jenkins, Mrs. W. H. Stevens, Mrs. W. S. Jacobs, Mrs. J. W. Jordan and Mrs. A. A. Jacobs.

Dell Thompson, who has been living in town the past year, has moved his family to West New Portland.

H. H. Clough of the A. L. & E. F. Goss Company, with his bride, arrived in town last week. They have rooms at F. A. Merchant's on Depot street.

Mrs. Nellie Huse Vaughan of Carrabassett is visiting at her brother's, R. A. Huse's, Jr., for a few days.

The many friends of Mrs. Frank Hodgman will be glad to learn that she is as comfortable as can be expected at the Maine General hospital in Portland, where she recently underwent a surgical operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barden drove to Phillips one day last week where they visited friends and relatives.

Mrs. Maria Stevens of North New Portland is the guest of her brother, E. E. Jenkins this week.

Turner Buswell of Solon, Augustine Simmons of North Anson and J. C. Holman of Farmington were in town on

business last week.

L. C. Witham, who has been running the Mt. Abraham House for the past few months, will soon move into the Winter tenement block on Main street.

F. A. Crossman has taken rent in the Savage house on Maple street and will soon move his family there.

Miss Myra Wilkins, who has been visiting her father, C. O. Wilkins, returned to Wilton last Saturday.

Arthur Plummer of North New Portland was a caller in town last week.

Mrs. Kate Porter arrived home last Saturday night after several weeks' absence in Massachusetts, where she has been for medical treatment. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Warren Clark and Mrs. B. E. Savage of North New Portland were in town last Saturday.

Miss Myra Butts went to Tim pond last Wednesday, where she will be engaged for the summer. Miss Butts has worked at Tim Pond Camps for several seasons past, which is the highest tribute to her work.

Prof. F. O. Small, principal of the Winchester, Mass., High school, spent Sunday with relatives in town. Mr. Small contemplates entering Harvard Law school this fall.

G. K. Richards has returned from New Hampshire, where he was called by the illness of his brother-in-law, Rufus Bryant.

Mr. S. H. Billington and Mrs. Leroy Brackley of Industry were in town last Friday. It will be remembered that Mr. Billington was the grandfather and Mrs. Brackley the wife of the Brackley who was shot by Chas. Wilson last April.

There was a social dance in French's hall last Saturday evening which was well attended.

H. P. Wood is confined to the house by illness this week.

Mrs. Mason Parker and daughter, Alice, and mother, Mrs. Lura Twombly, drove to Phillips one day last week, where they were the guests of Mrs. Sarah Bangs.

Freeman Valley.

Moses Huff of Livermore Falls is stopping at present with his brother, Chas. Huff.

W. B. Hoyt and Will Rideout of Phillips were callers at C. W. Huff's last Sunday.

John Kennedy and wife of Phillips visited their daughter, Mrs. Selden Fuller, last Sunday.

A number from this vicinity attended the funeral of R. A. Dyer last Friday. Mr. Dyer will be missed by his townsmen. Surely a good man is gone.

Rev. D. H. Cowan and wife were called to Farmington last Saturday on account of the serious illness of the former's sister, Mrs. Mary Seavey.

Fred Harmon is still confined to the house with a bad leg.

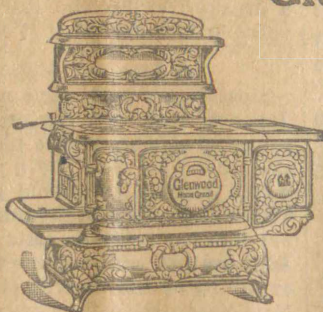
Mallett league will hold its regular meeting, also give an entertainment, Thursday evening, May 26, at the town-house. E. L. H.

W. A. D. Cragin

does not hesitate to recommend Kodol Dyspepsia Cure to his friends and customers. Indigestion causes more ill health than anything else. It deranges the stomach and brings on all manner of disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat, cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders. Kodol is not only a perfect digestant but a tissue building tonic as well. Renewed health, perfect strength and increased vitality will follow its use.

A Good Range Talk

with the Glenwood dealer and one careful look at the Oven, Sectional Top and Baking Damper and you'll want a new Glenwood — and you'll want it badly — It beats the "worry kind."



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Maine Woods and Woodsman Quaker Range Contest

For Kingfield, Eustis, Stratton, Salem, Bigelow, Dead River Plantation, Carrabassett and Flagstaff.

On Monday, August 15, 1904, a Quaker Range will be given to the lady in any of the towns named above who receives the largest number of votes. Any lady in these town may enter the contest.



Rules of the Contest.

It is essential to the contest that the names of not less than two contestants appear and remain actively engaged until the close. In the event of the withdrawal of all active candidates but one, there can be no contest and the prize will be withdrawn.

A coupon will be printed in each and every issue of MAINE WOODSMAN until and including Friday, Aug. 12, 1904, which will contain the last coupon. The contest will close at this paper's business office at 6 o'clock p. m. the following Monday, Aug. 15, when the votes will be counted by a committee representing the leading contestants.

1. For every yearly new subscriber to this paper at \$1.50 three hundred votes will be given. A new subscriber may pay as many years in advance as he wishes and receive votes at the rate of 300 for each \$1.50 per year paid; but all these payments must be made in advance at one time.

2. For every \$1.50 paid by present subscribers, either arrearages of accounts or in advance on present subscription, one hundred and fifty votes will be given.

3. Changes in subscriptions from one member to another of the same family, etc., made for the obvious purpose of securing the increased number of votes given to new subscribers cannot be permitted.

4. Each issue of MAINE WOODSMAN will contain one coupon, which, when filled out and delivered at the MAINE WOODSMAN office, will count as one vote.

There will be no single votes for sale; votes can only be obtained as above set forth, or by clipping from the paper the votes that appear below.

Votes will be counted each Tuesday during the contest and the figures of such counting printed in the following issue of the paper.

All communications should be addressed to Voting Contest, this office.

Maine Woods and Maine Woodsman Quaker Range

VOTING CONTEST.

One Vote For.....

Maine Woods and Woodsman Quaker Range Contest.

PUBLISHERS MAINE WOODS AND WOODSMAN:
Herewith find \$..... for which credit.....year's subscription to
(Name).....
(Address).....
— AND ALSO —
..... HUNDRED VOTES.
For.....
Of.....
.....Subscription. Please indicate whether this is a New Subscription or renewal.

The Quaker Range is a thoroughly up to date, high class range. It gives perfect satisfaction everywhere and retails at \$50.

The Range that is to be given to the winner in this contest can be seen in A. L. & E. F. Goss Co's. hardware store in Kingfield

The standing of the various contestants will be published in the MAINE WOODSMAN every week till the close.

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DIGESTS WHAT YOU EAT
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Maine Woodsman, (WEEKLY.) PHILLIPS, MAINE.

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When ordering the address of your paper changed, please give the old as well as new address.

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CLARENCE E. CALDEN, Associate M'gr.

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FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1904.

Franklin County Officers.

Clerk of Courts—Byron M. Small, Farmington.

County Attorney—Herbert S. Wing, Kingfield.

Judge of Probate—Josiah H. Thompson, Farmington.

Register of Probate—Frank W. Butler, Farmington.

Register of Deeds—Charles F. Coburn, Farmington.

Treasurer—Carleton P. Merrill, Farmington.

Sheriff—James F. Worthley, Strong.

Deputies—Alonso Sylvester, Farmington; Herman Sanborn, Wilton; Heber H. Allen, Jay; Joseph A. Witham, Weld; J. B. Noble, Phillips; W. B. Small, Kingfield; George M. Eady, Rangeley; James H. Howes, New Sharon; Nelson Gould, Farmington; Augustus Wyman, Eustis.

County Commissioners—Isaac W. Greene, chairman, Copin; Charles R. Hall, East Dixfield; George D. Clark, New Vineyard.

Terms of Supreme Judicial Court, the first Tuesday of February, third Tuesday of May and fourth Tuesday of September.

Terms of Probate Court, the third Tuesday of each month.

Regular sessions of County Commissioners Court, last Tuesday of April and last Tuesday of December.

Weld.

The dance in Conant's pavilion Saturday night was well attended and all report a good time.

Annie and Edgar Masterman went to Phillips Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Hodsdon, who has been caring for her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Bovi of Auburn, returned to her home last Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Proctor spent several days in Farmington recently.

Orletus Phillips went to Wilton one day last week.

Mrs. Chas. Kehew is nursing Mrs. Bert Masterman.

I. H. Buker lost a horse last Thursday.

Stinson Masterman went to Dixfield one day last week.

Maurice Russell of Augusta spent a few days in town recently.

Freeman.

The Mallett league reelected the following officers May 11, by ballot: President, Katherine Toothaker; vice president, A. K. Brackley; secretary, Melvin Huff; treasurer, Allen Brackley; executive committee, Bertha Record, Ethel Brackley; librarian, Genie Tash.

CITIZENSHIP OF INDIANS.

Legal Status of Claimants to Rights in Choctaw and Chickasaw Tribes.

The Choctaw and Chickasaw citizenship court, created in the summer of 1902, to pass upon the rights of court claimants to citizenship in those nations, and which has been in session since October of that year, has rendered its first final decision on the merits of the cases before them. The court holds, according to the Kansas City Journal, that an intermarried citizen could not marry out of the tribe. The Choctaw council passed a law that when a man, on the death of his Indian wife, married a white woman he forfeited the rights of citizenship. The citizenship court holds that this would violate the treaty of 1866, something the Choctaw council would object to.

The court has not yet admitted any white children of such marriages, though 300 are seeking admission. Nor has the court admitted any of the claimants who seek admission on the claim of possessing Indian blood, three cases, involving 40 persons, having been rejected. Eight intermarried citizens have been admitted.

When the Sap Rises

Weak lungs should be careful. Coughs and colds are dangerous when colds and gives strength to the lungs. Mrs. G. E. Fenner of Marion, Ind., says, "I suffered with a cough until I ran down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength." Sold by W. A. D. Cragin.

RANGELEY NEWS NOTES.

Special correspondence to MAINE WOODSMAN.

RANGELEY, May 17, 1904.

The Steamer Comet made her first trip down the lake last Friday afternoon.

The Rangeley Lake House was opened to the public last week.

The sound of the lawn mower is heard again in the land.

Log driving from Haley pond down the stream to the lake has been one of the things to interest people during the week past.

Mrs. J. B. Marble arrived in town last week and joined her husband at the Rangeley Lake House.

Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Prescott went to Lewiston Tuesday for a few days.

Mrs. Ada Sprague and Mrs. Chas. Haley have gone to Allerton lodge to work for a few weeks.

The Ladies' Aid society was entertained this week by Mrs. W. L. Butler.

Alf Brackett has recently much improved the outside appearance of his drelling house with a coat of Devoe's paint.

The village cove about the steamboat wharf is so full of logs as to make navigation almost impossible.

Mrs. Lucy Thompson is quite sick this week.

The first public debate of the O. M. E. school league occurred Friday evening of last week.

The members of the C. E. society will hold a public entertainment next Friday evening at the Grange hall.

Fremont Kimball and family left town last week for their new home in Vienna.

Phineas Richardson is having his house repainted.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burrows are at Rangemere, their summer cottage.

Mrs. Wm. Soule was the guest of Mrs. Etta Dill last week.

Mrs. Ed Lamb spent last week with relatives in Chesterville.

Have you seen the new line of ladies' gauze vests from 15c to 50c at Neal, Oakes & Quimby's? Ladies' hose at 10c to 50c. We have just received 100 samples of ladies' dress goods in up to date styles, in prices from 75c to \$3.25, 50 inches wide. Call and see samples. Remember the mark down on shoes, dress goods, gloves, etc.

Here's a New One.

A new swindle is being worked by a pair of strangers in southern Michigan, according to the Auburn (Ind.) Dispatch. A stranger appears on the road apparently searching for a lost valuable diamond ring, but leaves after getting some responsible person interested, offering \$100 for the return of the ring. Soon after his departure a tramp appears and picks up what appears to be the missing ring. The person who has been offered \$100 reward for its return sees an opportunity to make a stake by giving the tramp a liberal sum for it, but fails to find the owner. He then consults a diamond expert and learns that the sparkler is worth about 15 cents.

A Japanese Holiday.

Most of the people one meets on the Japanese New Year day are carrying a squashed salmon, with a piece of paper tied round its waist by a paper string which holds a little gold paper kite. That kite means that the thing is a present and has not to be paid for. Those who are not carrying crushed salmon or taking up the street in giving correct New Year's salutations are playing battledore and shuttlecock.

Ladies and Children

who cannot stand the shocking strain of laxative syrups and cathartic pills are especially fond of Little Early Risers. All persons who find it necessary to take a liver medicine should try these easy pills and compare the agreeably pleasant and strengthening effect with the nauseating and weakening condition following the use of other remedies. Little Early Risers cure biliousness, constipation, sick headache, jaundice, malaria and liver trouble. Sold by W. A. D. Cragin.

Save Your Gallons.

A gallon saved is \$4 or \$5 earned.
Two gallons saved is \$8 or \$10 earned.
Three gallons saved is \$12 or \$15 earned.
Four gallons saved is \$16 or \$20 earned.
Five gallons saved is \$20 or \$25 earned.
It costs \$3 or \$4 a gallon to paint, besides the paint; as much to brush-on a gallon of worthless paint as Devoe.
Mr. Ezra Rathmell, Williamsport, Pa., always used 11 gallons of mixed paint for his house; Devoe took 6.
W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips, and Neal, Oakes & Quimby, Rangeley.
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We sell a great many shoes. It is not surprising that we do, for the reason that we will not buy a shoe that is not in every way all right and well worth the money.

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We have a 30c Tea that we recommend to our customers, and we stand behind it. Fresh Meats and Turner Center Butter.

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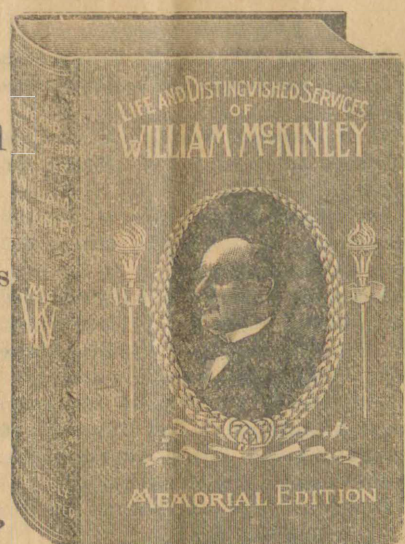
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The two papers for one year and the book listed above always sell for \$3.00. My price until my small supply of McKinley books is exhausted will be \$1.50 for the whole, as above.

J. W. BRACKETT, Phillips, Maine.



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The General Accident Co.

is the only Insurance Company that insists on its agents looking after and protecting your interests, illness or accident, pays your claims at once and no red tape. For information address,

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W. D. GRANT, Agt., Rangeley.

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F. L. MARCHETTI,
Rangeley, - Maine.

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With the best there is in paint. We keep it, also strictly pure

Linseed Oil and Turpentine,

We keep nothing else.

J. A. RUSSELL & CO.,
Rangeley, - Maine.

A Petition.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Madrid: The undersigned citizens of Madrid desiring to establish a private telephone line commencing at the house of P. H. Thorpe and running southeasterly along the highway to the town line near the top of the Conant hill, and also a line commencing at the house of S. L. Meham and running westerly along the highway and connecting with the line aforesaid, near the house of Dennis Moulton, said poles to be erected under the supervision of such officers as the town may designate.

John H. Welts, F. H. Thorpe,
Orin McKen, S. L. Meham,
N. D. Wing, W. R. Hinkley.

TOWN OF MADRID, May 9, 1904.

Upon the foregoing petition ordered that public notice thereof be given by printing and publishing a copy of this petition, with this order thereon, in the MAINE WOODSMAN, a public newspaper printed and published in Phillips, fourteen days at least before the 21st day of June A. D. 1904, on which day at two o'clock in the afternoon at the residence of S. L. Meham's, in said town, a public hearing will be held when residents and owners of property upon the highways, town ways and streets to be affected thereby and all other persons interested shall have full opportunity to show cause why such permit should not be granted.

And we, the Selectmen, endorse hereon that no personal notice or other notice than the above is necessary to be given by the petitioners to the residents and owners of property to be affected thereby.

Given under our hands at said Madrid this 9th day of May A. D. 1904.
A. H. WEBBER, } Selectmen
GEO. H. CHICK, } of
S. L. MEHAM, } Madrid.

A Petition.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Phillips:

The undersigned citizens of Phillips and their associates, desiring to establish a private telephone line, respectfully petition your Honorable Board for a written permit to construct lines, erect poles, stretch wires and cables for all telephone purposes upon and along the following named roads and streets of the town of Phillips the said poles to be erected under the supervision of such officers as said town may designate. The following are the highways and streets above referred to: Commencing at the Town line on the East Madrid road, running southerly along said highway direct to the central office at Phillips Village, passing the houses of W. F. Hinkley, I. B. Davenport and M. H. Davenport, also the Phillips Woolen Mill. Also commencing at the house of G. D. Nickerson, passing the house of B. Davenport and C. W. Harnden, connecting with the main line at or near the Bethel Schoolhouse, also commencing at the house of J. W. Shepard and running by the house of C. A. Willis, connecting with the main line at this point; also at the Town line on the Salem road at the house of Allison Parker. Thence southerly along the Salem road by the dwellings of Frank Hardy and H. S. Sampson to the main line near the old Sampson Schoolhouse site. Also commencing at the house of A. W. Davenport, connecting with the main line near M. H. Davenport's.

Elton B. Davenport, Clinton W. Harnden,
Eugene Hinkley, Leroy Hinkley,
Frank A. Sampson, Ervin F. Parker,
John W. Shepard, Ira B. Davenport.

TOWN OF PHILLIPS, April 30, 1904.

Upon the foregoing petition ordered that public notice thereof be given by printing and publishing a copy of this petition, with this order thereon, in the MAINE WOODSMAN, a public newspaper printed and published in Phillips fourteen days at least before the 21st day of May A. D. 1904, on which day at 8 o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the Selectmen in said town, a public hearing will be held, when residents and owners of property upon the highways, townways and streets to be affected thereby and all other persons interested shall have full opportunity to show cause why such permit should not be granted. And we, the said Selectmen, endorse hereon that no personal or other notice than the above is necessary to be given by the petitioners to the residents and owners of property to be affected thereby.

Given under our hands at said Phillips this 30th day of April A. D. 1904.
C. F. CHANDLER, } Selectmen
J. H. BYRON, } of
A. W. DAVENPORT, } Phillips.

Lumber For Sale.

I have on hand at Pope's mill a supply of dimension lumber, boards, etc., for sale at the regular prices.

W. T. KEENE,
Phillips, Maine

A Petition.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Phillips:

The undersigned citizens of Phillips and their associates desiring to establish a private telephone line respectfully petition your Honorable Board for a written permit to construct lines, erect poles and stretch wires and cables for all telephone purposes upon and along the following named roads of the town of Phillips, the said poles to be erected under the supervision of such officers as said town may designate. The following are the highways above referred to:

Commencing at the dwelling house of Geo. Hood in said Phillips and extending along the highway, past the dwelling of Roscoe S. Cushman, thence along the highway from the above named road past the dwellings of E. N. Stinchfield, Frank Mitchell, Ed Mitchell, Charles Plaisted and Charles A. Wheeler; thence past the dwellings of Ezekiah Hinkley, Herman Plaisted and E. J. Ross to the wooden mill occupied by Hescok & Atwood.

J. Curtis Smith, W. W. Hood,
W. B. Gates, L. E. Peary,
A. R. Sedgely, T. B. Hunter,
E. N. Stinchfield, F. H. Mitchell,
F. E. Mitchell, R. S. Cushman,
Geo. Hood, Herman Plaisted,
Chas. A. Wheeler, Chas. N. Plaisted,
B. F. Beal.

TOWN OF PHILLIPS, April 30, 1904.

Upon the foregoing petition, ordered that public notice thereof be given by printing and publishing a copy of this petition with this order thereon in the MAINE WOODSMAN, a public newspaper printed and published in Phillips, fourteen days at least before the 21st day of May A. D. 1904, on which day at two o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the selectmen in said town, a public hearing will be held when residents and owners of property upon the highway, town ways and streets to be affected thereby and all other persons interested shall have full opportunity to show cause why such permit should not be granted.

And we, the Selectmen, endorse hereon that no personal notice or other notice than the above is necessary to be given by the petitioners to the residents and owners of property to be affected thereby.

Given under our hands at said Phillips this 30th day of April A. D. 1904.
C. F. CHANDLER, } Selectmen
J. H. BYRON, } of
A. W. DAVENPORT, } Phillips.

Road Notice.

To the Honorable the Court of County Commissioners for the County of Franklin, next to be held at Farmington in said County, on the last Tuesday of April, A. D. 1904.

Humbly shows Harry P. Dill of Phillips, County of Franklin and State of Maine and Daisy Dill Norton of Lewiston, County of Androscoggin and State of Maine, that the selectmen of said Phillips, on petition of James W. Brackett and others of said Phillips, pursuant to legal notice, and after hearing the parties, laid out for the use of said town of Phillips, a town road or way from a point on Bridge street, where Amble street intersects said Bridge street, thence westerly up the northeasterly side of Salem road, said Amble street, past the dwelling of M. W. Harnden and the Seward Dill homestead, so-called, to the location of the Phillips & Rangeley railroad, all in said Phillips, the courses and distances of said road or way being as follows, to-wit: Beginning nineteen links south of the southeast corner of Staples's blacksmith shop, thence north fifty-five degrees west, twenty-four rods; thence north thirty-six degrees and thirty minutes west, one hundred twenty-six feet and four inches, to a point midway of the distance between the corner of the lower stable on the said Seward Dill place and the corner of the shop on said place next to the river, meaning the two corners of said buildings nearest to each other; thence north thirty-eight degrees west, three hundred sixty-eight feet to the location of the Phillips & Rangeley railroad, and ending at said location at a cedar post with a spike driven in to the south side, the line described to be the middle of the town way, and the town way to be two rods wide, all in said Phillips, and in part over the land possessed jointly by us, the said Harry P. Dill and Daisy Dill Norton; that the said selectmen, at the time of the said laying out of said road or way, as aforesaid, made an estimate of damages as by law provided; that said road or way as laid out was, by said selectmen, reported to said town of Phillips, and duly accepted by the inhabitants thereof at a legal meeting held on the fourteenth day of March, A. D. 1904; that the said road or way extended fifty-five rods, more or less, over the land of the said Harry P. Dill and Daisy Dill Norton and the damages were estimated and awarded to the said Harry P. Dill and Daisy Dill Norton jointly in the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars.

Your petitioners feeling themselves aggrieved and wronged by the location of said road or way over their land as aforesaid and by the estimate and award of damages aforesaid, represent to your Honorable Court:

I. That public necessity and convenience do not demand the building of the said road or way.

II. That said road or way if built as laid by the selectmen as aforesaid can be of no possible use or benefit to the public.

III. That the town of Phillips, by its selectmen, had no legal right to lay said road or way as aforesaid, and no legal right to take the land of your petitioners for the purpose thereof.

IV. That said road or way if built as laid by the selectmen as aforesaid will be of great damage to your petitioners.

Wherefore, your petitioners humbly ask your Honorable Court to annul the doings of the said selectmen in laying out the road or way as aforesaid, by refusing to confirm the said location. But in case your Honorable Court confirm the action of the said selectmen and report favorably upon the location of said road or way as aforesaid, your petitioners as aforesaid, then your petitioners further pray your Honors that a just estimate of their damages, occasioned by the laying out of the aforesaid road or way by the said selectmen, may be had, and that your petitioners may have their damages assessed by your Honorable Court and recover with the statutes in such cases made and provided, and in duty bound will ever pray.

HARRY P. DILL,
DAISY DILL NORTON.
Phillips, Maine, March 30, A. D. 1904.

State of Maine.

FRANKLIN SS. Court of County Commissioners, April term, 1904.

Id. April 26, 1904. On the foregoing petition, satisfactory evidence having been received that the petitioners are responsible, and that an enquiry into the merits is expedient, and that they ought to be heard touching the matter set forth in said petition, it is ordered that the clerk of the County Commissioners will meet at the office of Timberlake & Noble in said Phillips on Tuesday the 31st day of May, 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon; and thence proceed to view the route set forth in said petition, and other routes and roads connected therewith, and immediately afterwards hear the parties and their witnesses, and then take such further measures in the premises as may be adjudged proper. Said notice to be given by serving attested copies of said petition and this order thereon upon the clerk of the town of Phillips and by posting up such copies in three public places in said town, and publishing the same in the MAINE WOODSMAN, a public newspaper printed in Phillips in said county, that all persons and corporations interested may attend and be heard if they think proper.

ATTEST, B. M. SMALL, Clerk.

A true copy of the petition and order of Court thereon.

ATTEST, B. M. SMALL, Clerk.

FARMINGTON NEWS.

Special correspondence to Maine Woodsman.
FARMINGTON, May 18, 1904.

The May term of the Franklin county Supreme Judicial court opened last Tuesday afternoon at 2 p. m., his honor Chief Justice Albert P. Savage of Auburn presiding. After the offering of prayer the court proceeded to the calling of the traverse jury which was empaneled as follows: Frank N. Blanchard, Wilton; Silas A. Blodgett, Phillips; A. W. Briggs, Strong, C. C. Brown, Freeman; George F. Coburn, foreman, Weld; Simon Greenleaf, New Sharon, E. B. Hatch, Chesterville; Sylvader Hinkley, Rangeley; L. G. Keyes, Jay; Owen C. Mann, Farmington; Waldron K. Marble, Farmington; Winfield E. Marrow, New Vineyard; F. A. Niles, Farmington; G. Howard Pease, Farmington; H. A. Strout, Jay; Almon R. Thurston, Kingfield; N. G. Wyman, Eustis.

The court organized with following officers: Judge Albert P. Savage, clerk of courts, Byron M. Small, Farmington; county attorney, Herbert S. Wing of Kingfield; sheriff, James F. Worthley of Strong; deputies, Alonzo Sylvester, Nelson Gould, Farmington; W. B. Small, Kingfield; Herman Sanborn, Wilton; James D. Howes, New Sharon; J. B. Noble, Phillips; George M. Esty, Rangeley; James A. Witham, Weld; Heber A. Allen, Jay; Augustus Wyman, Eustis; jailer, Martin H. Fowler, Farmington; court crier, Joseph A. Witham, Weld; stenographer, W. H. Cornborth, Auburn; court messenger, Nelson Gould, Farmington.

Among the attorneys present within the bar were Turner Buswell, Solon; Hon. F. E. Timberlake, Hon. N. P. Noble, James Morrison and Harry Beedy, Phillips; H. S. Wing, Kingfield; Hon. C. N. Blanchard, Wilton; H. S. Whitecomb, Hon. Joseph C. Holman, S. Clifford Belcher, E. O. Greenleaf, E. E. Richards, Frank W. Butler, L. B. Brown and Louis Voter of Farmington; Hon. P. H. Stubbs, Strong.

The docket was then called and 32 cases marked for trial during this term of court.

There being no cases for trial during the afternoon the jury was excused until 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The assigned docket is as follows: Wednesday, Martha and Cathers D. Lander vs W. Burton Small; Fulton O'Brien vs Wm. H. Blethen and Inhabitants of Strong.

Thursday, Fobier vs Cushman; Larabee vs Phinney; Hardy vs Hodgkins, Applt; Batchelder vs Russell Bros. & Estes Co.

Friday, Ellis et al vs Spaulding et al; Spaulding et al vs Ellis; Wells vs N. E. Telephone Co.; Knowlton vs Willis; Dennison vs Vinalhaven.

Saturday, Haley et al vs Nickerson; Dyer North vs Morrison; Dyer vs Union Land & Lumber Co.; Fuller vs Derby et al; Smith vs Murray; Jennings vs Doten; Dinsmore vs Soule et al; Oakes vs Orbeton et al; Campbell vs Delong; Sanborn vs Sanborn.

Unassigned list, Mallet by pro ami vs Tetro; Wyman vs the Victoria Mfg. Co.; King vs Gilman; Norton vs McVoy & Tr. & Voter, claimant; Greenwood & Eastern Telephone Co.; Eaton vs New England Ship Building Co.; Bubier vs Hunt; Baker vs Schofield; Blanchard vs Nickerson, Stebbins vs Wallace.

Hon. Isaac Moore Cutler, formerly of Farmington and one of the oldest residents of Malden, Mass., died May 14. Mr. Cutler was born in Farmington, the son of Nathan Cutler, also a resident of this town. At an early age he went to

One Cent a Word.

Under this heading small, undisplayed advertisements, such as "Wants," "For Sale," "Situations Wanted," etc., will be inserted for 1c a word each week. The address will be charged as part of the advertisement, and each initial of name and combination of figures count as a word.

Driftwood Lodge.

Most artistic log camp on Rangeley lake, new, beautifully located, nearest best trolling. Furnished. Boats. Wood. Rent for season or sell.

ARTHUR L. GOLDER, Cherryfield, Me.

Belgian Hares.

A fine pair of Belgian hares for \$1. DONALD B. GOLDSMITH, Phillips, Me.

For Sale.

Beautiful farm buildings with land, first-class team, good lumber lot, some of the best scenery and in one of the best sporting sections of Maine. Apply to E. C. LUFKIN, Phillips, Me.

Farmer Wanted.

Any good man, married or single, who wants a place for six months or a year, may call on me after the 14th at New Vineyard. DR. E. P. TURNER.

Wanted.

Girl to do general housework in small family. Address MAINE WOODS INFORMATION BUREAU, Phillips, Me.

THE KEELEY INSTITUTE in Portland Maine, on Munjoy Hill, is successfully curing drunkards and drug users.

Portland where he was one of the founders of the firm of Deering, Milliken & Co., with stores at Portland and New York. Mr. Cutler remained in Portland during the war and there he amassed a large fortune. About 40 years ago he went to Malden, where he has since resided. About four years ago he gave to the residents of Farmington, his old home, a \$40,000 library with an additional \$4000, the interest from which was to be used for its maintenance. A few years ago Mr. Cutler also built a hospital for the residents of Wichita, Kansas. He always gave freely to all charitable institutions. He was a well known sportsman and had hunted and fished in nearly every state in the Union.

Mr. Cutler was about 80 years of age. The funeral services took place at Malden Monday at 2 p. m., and the remains were brought to Farmington Tuesday for burial. The interment took place at Riverside cemetery on arrival of the afternoon train. The remains were met at the station and escorted to the cemetery by the trustees of the library building and many citizens of the town. The library building was heavily draped with black and purple and the doors were closed until Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. George Thomas has returned from Rangeley, where he has been working for the past two weeks.

Mrs. C. H. Bangs of Everett, Mass., and Mrs. I. E. Gleason of Mexico are in town this week, called here by the death of their mother, Mrs. Hannah Worthley. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Curtis of Whitman, Mass., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Palmer this week.

Dr. Thayer of Portland was in town recently in consultation with Dr. Palmer.

C. H. Brimmer spent a few days in Portland this week, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Roland Withee and Mrs. Ed Jackson were in Winslow this week, called there by the death of their brother, Edward Roberts.

Misses Ella Wheeler, May Hardy and Annie Lowell were in Lewiston one day this week.

Mrs. Rose Hardy of West Farmington, Mrs. Sylvester Russell and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eames of Temple were in town Sunday to attend the funeral of Mr. Edward Roberts.

The piano agents from P. F. Bonney company, Boston, who have been at Rice & Paine's for the past two weeks, have sold five pianos in this and adjoining towns.

The supper which was given by the ladies of the Methodist church last Thursday evening was much enjoyed by all present.

About 50 took advantage of the reduced rates on the Maine Central to Ben Hur and spent Thursday or Friday in Lewiston.

Mrs. Wallace Nichols has been ill this week.

Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Palmer were in Lewiston a few days this week.

Miss Mildred Gay spent a few days in Lewiston recently.

Mrs. S. O. Tarbox, Jr., and son, Jordan, are visiting Mrs. Tarbox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan of Auburn.

Cheese Balls with Tomato Sauce.

Mix together two cups of grated cheese, a quarter of a teaspoon of salt, a few grains of cayenne pepper and one cup of bread crumbs; then add two eggs beaten stiff, shape in small balls, roll in crushed cracker crumbs and fry in deep fat; serve on triangles of buttered toast and pour over them a tomato sauce.—Good Housekeeping.

Silk Cotton Gloves.

Silk and cotton gloves are likely to stretch with wear. Turn them inside out and sew the seams over, taking them in a little, and cutting off the edges if enough has been taken in to make them in the least clumsy.—Country Gentleman.

Paint Your Buggy For 75c.

to \$1.00 with Devoe's Gloss Carriage Paint. It weighs 3 to 8 ozs. more to the pint than others, wears longer and gives a gloss equal to new work. Sold by W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips and Neal, Oakes & Quimby, Rangeley.

Farm Notes.

Fruit trees seem to have more than the usual number of buds.

Mice destroyed a great many trees the past winter.

Farmers have done but little grafting owing to the difficulty of getting good scions.

The severe winter seemed to have destroyed much of the past year's growth.

Plowing will do more to bring up an old or a new orchard than manure.

Hogs will work wonders in an orchard, but it seems to need a plow to prune the roots to get the best result.

Don't throw the manure too near the tree. The roots that want that article are far from the tree trunk.

Don't plant too early. Don't sow too late is an old rule.

The time to pick rocks is not when sharp stubble tears the hands, but in the spring when they can be removed very easily.

Don't carry your cows with the milking stool.

Why let your pasture grow up to woods and be obliged to drive stock away to pasture? H. W. W.

LOOKED LIKE FATHER.

Novel Method of Identification Secured Cash for Mother at the Bank.

Resemblance between children and their parents is more or less marked in every family, but it is rare that such likeness is of particular worth, says the Philadelphia Telegraph.

The following story is related by a resident of Germantown as an illustration of how the close resemblance between one of her children and its father served as the means of securing a banking institution recognition of a check.

"My husband is a traveling man," began the mother, "and before he departed, shortly before Christmas, I needed an extra amount of money for presents. Not having sufficient cash with him, he presented me with a check payable at one of the down-town banks. I had never before had occasion to go to the institution, and, of course, had no idea that it would be necessary to be identified.

"Taking my three children with me, I repaired to the bank, and presented the paper to the cashier.

"Mr. Bland has an account here, lady," I was told, "but it is not customary for us to honor checks, unless the party presenting them can establish identity."

"I argued with the official for some little while, trying to prove I was the Mrs. Blank named on the check, but without avail.

"In an angry mood, not knowing what to do, I was about to take my departure, when I noticed the cashier closely inspecting my children. 'Are they yours, madam?' he asked. 'They are, sir,' I returned, 'why do you ask?' The official hereupon came forth from his booth, and, catching the youngest of the trio by the hand, looking at the same time into her beautiful brown eyes and smiling face, said to me: 'Mrs. Blank, I shall honor your check. I have known your husband for many years, and if this is not his child, I never saw anyone as much like him in my life.'"

MAINE WOODS and MAINE WOODSMAN

respectfully announce the

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Latest and Best Type

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Wedding Cards and Invitations.

Special Engravings

are furnished to those who desire them

Your order would be appreciated.

At Home
After March 19th,
Phillips, Me.

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Write for samples

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J. W. BRACKETT,

Phillips, - - - Maine.

Notice.

ANNUAL MEETING OF PHILLIPS SAVINGS BANK.

The annual meeting of the Corporators of Phillips Savings Bank will be held at the rooms of said bank in Phillips, Franklin County, Maine, on Wednesday, May 25, A. D. 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the following purposes, to wit:

- I. To add to the number of corporators.
- II. To choose five Trustees for the ensuing year.
- III. To transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Per order of Trustees, N. P. NOBLE, Clerk,

Phillips, Maine, May 14, A. D. 1904.

OUR CLAIMS FOR THE TUBULAR

- 1st—It skims closer under all conditions.
- 2d—It produces a perfectly smooth, frothless cream of any desired density.
- 3d—Cream thus obtained will yield more butter from the same amount of milk than any other.
- 4th—It runs at its full capacity with two-thirds or less of the power required for the disc or heavy bowl machines.
- 5th—The most convenient, durable and desirable arrangement of running parts.
- 6th—The low supply can do away with top heaviness common in other style machines.
- 7th—Absolute safety from accidents caused by exposed gears or by top heavy bowls.
- 8th—The three piece Tubular bowl can be thoroughly washed in three minutes.
- 9th—It uses less oil—requires fewer repairs—than any other separator made.
- 10th—We guarantee that it will get enough more cream under like conditions than any other machine to pay 6 per cent interest on its entire cost.

R. W. KNOWLTON, Agent,
Strong, - - - - - Maine.

PHILIP R

Sired by Altus, Jr.; he by Altus, 2:30; he by Alcantara, 2:23; he by George Wilkes, 2:22; he by Hambletonian, Dan by Intrepid; he by Constellation; he by Almont, second dam by Black Monitor; third dam by Harry Knox; he by Gen. Knox, Jr.

Philip R is a very handsome, smoothly turned, intelligent mahogany bay stallion with black points, an ideal road horse. He is one of the best stock horses that stand in Maine. His magnificent style, size and trotting gait are second to none. Never was handled for speed; trotted a half mile on Rangeley track in 1:20. Foaled in 1895, stands 16 hands and weighs 1,775 in stud form.

The best ad for this horse is his stock. His colts at three years of age stand 15-3 and weigh 1,050. They are of the model type, what the market is calling for with style, size, clean gaited, fearless and sound. Don't experiment on stock horses. Breed to this horse and raise a colt which you can sell at a profit.

Philip R will make the season of 1904 as follows: Monday of each week at Phillips upper village, at the Willows stable. Tuesday forenoon of each week at Madrid village at Will Larkin's stable, the rest of the time at my farm in Greenville.

All accidents and escapes at owner's risk. Colts held for service fee. Mares disposed of considered with foal. Terms \$10.00 to warrant.

CLARK M. SMITH.



FRANKLIN STEAM LAUNDRY,
BRIMMER & HAYES, Farmington, Maine.

Resolutions of Respect.

WHEREAS, Perley S. Voter, an honored member of Marathon Lodge No. 96, K. of P., has departed this life and whereas by his virtues, industry, honesty and fidelity to the principles of Pythiasism, he has endeared himself to our hearts and we are in memory will abide in tenderest affection and love, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we recogize his genuine worth and sterling qualities of manhood and deeply mourn his death and loss to our order in years of activity

RESOLVED, That our charter be draped in mourning for 30 days and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Farmington Chronicle and the MAINE WOODSMAN for publication, a copy sent to the family of the deceased and one spread on the records of the order.

GEO. C. HOWARD, } Committee
WALTER G. DURRELL, } on
ARTHUR EUSTIS, } Resolutions.

WRAPPER SALE,

Three Days Only. May 19, 20 and 21.

One lot Wrappers, all sizes, 32 to 46, deep flounce, latest styles, worth 75c, for this sale 59c.

One lot Wrappers, all sizes, deep flounce, neatly trimmed, extra wide around the bottom, a bargain at \$1 00, this sale 79c.

One lot Wrappers, all sizes, deep flounce, ruffle over the shoulder, trimmed with braid to match, great value for \$1 25, this three days sale only 99c.

RICE & PAINE,

26 Broadway, - - - Farmington, Maine.

Eastern and Northeastern Telephones.

W. & B. SPECIAL

"The Great and Only Five."

Smoke a W. & B. Special and you will know why this popular Cigar is so fast

winning favor among particular smokers. For sale at all Cigar Counters in Phillips

Call for and try the W. & B. goods.

Phillips and Vicinity.

—F. W. Atwood was ill last week.
—Miss Louise Danico is teaching at Bemis.

—N. C. Hawkes, formerly of this town, called on friends here recently.
—Miss Louise Atwood is teaching school at Stony Brook, Stratton.

—Mrs. Cora Barker was ill last week, threatened with pneumonia.

—Miss Blanche Knapp is working for Mrs. A. D. Graffam.

—Mr. Harry L. Masterman of Webb was in Phillips last Saturday.

—Mrs. Frank L. Dennison and son, Donald of Brewer, passed through Phillips Monday on their way to Rangeley.
—Messrs. N. E. Wells and C. G. Kingsley have purchased the stock of the S. G. Haley company and will continue business at the same place.

—Mrs. W. W. Small of Rumford Falls, who teaches a class of little people at the Baptist Sunday school, took the party on a Mayflowering trip last Saturday afternoon and served them a lunch.

—Among the list of nominations by Governor Hill recently were those of Francis E. Russell of Rangeley and Louis Voter of Farmington, trial justices.

—Rev. O. W. Peterson has sold his mare, Roxie, to G. A. French, also the rest of the outfit, including sleigh, robes, etc. Mr. Peterson felt badly to part with her but Mr. French has secured a fine driver.

—Summer Beal of Avon recently sold a 3-years-old ewe sheep to S. G. Haley that weighed alive 212 pounds. She dressed 127 pounds. The fleece weighed 16 pounds. Mr. Haley says that was the biggest mutton carcass ever dressed in Phillips and the heaviest ewe sheep on foot. He says the fleece is also the record.

—News has been received of the death of Ed Roberts at Vassalboro by an accident on the Wiscasset railroad. Mr. Roberts was for several years employed on the Phillips & Rangeley railroad. It seems that a crew of section men were thrown from a flat car by reason of two trucks jumping a switch. Mr. Roberts, who was foreman of the crew, fell between two cars and received injuries from which he died shortly after. Mr. Roberts was 45 years of age.

—An exchange says: "The evangelistic services conducted by Evangelists Gale and Everts at North Anson are having a very helpful influence on the place. Much interest in the higher life is manifest. Never have such large crowds gathered in that village to listen to religious preaching. Quite a number of people have begun the Christian life. Sunday will be a big day with four services. The churches will provide hot coffee for those who bring their lunches and stay all day."

—An exchange says: "Rev. George W. Barber, after a continued pastorate in the Maine M. E. conference for 44 years, has this year retired from the active ministry. He has purchased a house and small farm at South Bridgton and proposes to make that his future residence." We presume this is the same Mr. Barber, who was pastor of the Methodist church in Phillips several years ago.

Played Out.



That "played out"—"done up" feeling makes life miserable for every sufferer from Kidney ills, backaches, headaches and urinary troubles, painful and annoying.

Doan's Kidney Pills

bring new life and activity, remove the pain and cure the cause, from common backache to dangerous diabetes.

Mr. L. T. Wilson, saltmaker on Market street, Portsmouth, N. H., says: "I contracted a very bad cold which affected me in the lungs and in the upper part of the chest, causing distressing lameness, some urinary difficulty and I was quite stiffened up. As I had read considerable about Doan's Kidney Pills I went to Philbrick's pharmacy and got a box. They went to the spot at once, and I did not use but part of the box before I was quite over my trouble. I gave the balance of my box to a friend, and there was plenty to cure him, although neither of us are very lightweights. I am prepared from my personal experience and from their effects on others to highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. You can refer to me."

For sale by all druggists: 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Single Comb R. I. Reds, Blue Barred Rocks, Light Brahmas, Buff Orpingtons, Golden Wyandots.

My birds are all prize winners, handsome, vigorous birds. Eggs from carefully mated hens, \$1.00 per 15. Incubator eggs \$5.00 per 100. Send your orders early.

S. O. TARBOX, JR.,
Box 464, - Farmington, Maine.

Phillips and Vicinity.

—Ralph Cragin spent Sunday in Redington with Vinton Hough.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shepard were at Long pond over Sunday.

—Quite a goodly number went to Lewiston Friday to see Ben Aur.

—Sherman Whitney was in Farmington Saturday on business.

—Miss Blanche Kenniston visited relatives in Lewiston over Sunday.

—Miss Alberta Matthews spent Sunday with friends in Lewiston.

—C. E. Parker and family drove to Long pond Saturday for a few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Field and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Everett spent Sunday in Redington.

—Last Friday Mrs. John B. Marble, en route for the Rangeley Lake House, was in town, the guest of Miss Crosby.

—Miss Mertie Hescock spent Sunday a week in Livermore Falls with her sister, Mabel.

—Miss Annie Masterman and brother, Edgar of Weld, were in town Saturday, returning home Sunday.

—F. B. Sweetser has been confined to the house with a severe attack of rheumatism.

—Mrs. M. S. Kelley and daughter, Mrs. Colby Whittemore, took advantage of the excursion Friday to visit relatives in Lewiston.

—Henry Hescock was on his central Maine trip last week, which comprises Lewiston, Augusta, Gardiner, Waterville, Hallowell and several other cities.

—Mrs. Mason Parker and little daughter and her mother, Mrs. S. L. Twombly, drove over from Kingfield Thursday and returned Friday.

—The flag pole that has been in front of Mr. Pope's residence, formerly the Elmwood Hotel, was taken down last week. It has been a landmark for the past 25 years.

—The King's Daughters will meet this Friday evening with Miss Cornelia T. Crosby. A large attendance is desired as business of importance is to come before the meeting.

—The Evening Herald of Rumford Falls says: C. S. Robbins of Virginia left for Boston this afternoon where he will purchase a fast trotter. Mr. Robbins was formerly owner of Angie Wilkes, 2.21.

—A regular meeting of North Franklin Pomona Grange, P. of H., No. 22, will be held with Blue Mountain grange, Weld, Thursday, May 26, at 10 a. m. Picnic dinner.

CLARA A. FRENCH, Sec'y.

—Rumford Falls is going to have the first juvenile dancing class ever taught in its limits. Wilder Chase of Dixfield, who is well known in this section as a dancing master, is to open a class for the little people on Saturday afternoons from 2 to 5 o'clock.

—Very attractive and neat is the barber shop of M. W. Harden. He has recently had the ceiling and walls papered and the wood work painted. Also the exterior has been painted. Mr. Harden has a fine collection of stuffed birds and they also received the spring cleaning.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Toothaker arrived in Phillips Saturday noon from their wedding trip. Saturday evening the boys thought it was quite the proper thing to give Edgar a little serenade, which they proceeded to do. The procession left the store with pockets well filled with chocolates and oranges.

—W. H. Conant of Iowa City, Iowa, accompanied by his wife, were in Phillips last week. Mr. Conant learned the printer's trade with O. M. Moore on the old Phonograph and worked in the office more or less for four or five years. Mr. Conant is now practising law but for six years previous he was editor of the Iowa City Republican.

—Henry True, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. True, met with an accident while firing on the noon train to Farmington last Saturday. He was about to throw some coal into the fire box, but when he opened the door the coal gas and fire flew into his face, burning his face considerably and singeing his eyebrows. In jumping away from the fire he fell from the engine and dislocated his shoulder and scratched his face considerably. Dr. Palmer met the train at Farmington and set the shoulder. True returned to his home in Phillips that night and is well on the road to recovery.

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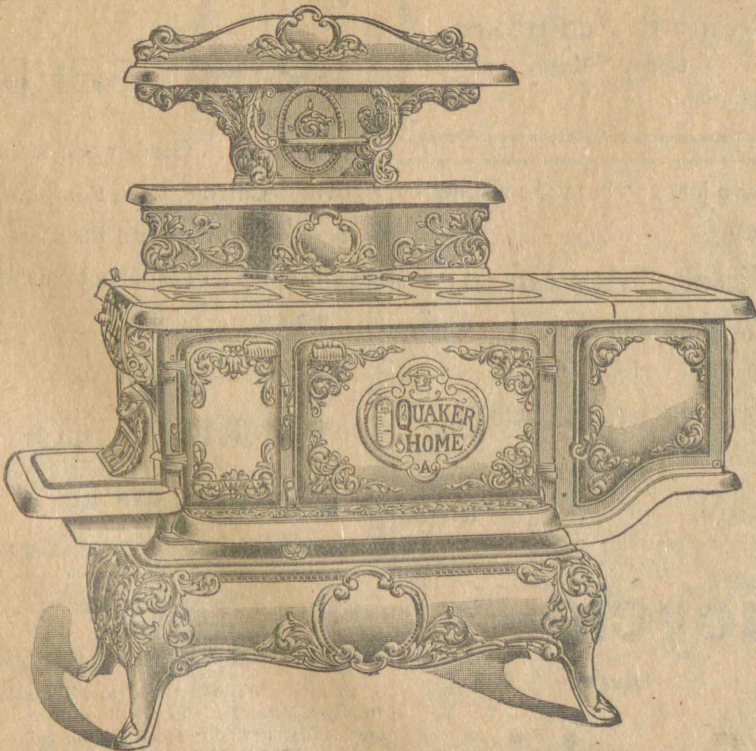
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STRONG NEWS.

Special correspondence to Maine Woodsmen.
STRONG, May 17, 1904.

Much interest is being manifested in town over the water system question and the special town meeting which is to be called on June 3 to listen and possibly to act on the report of the special committee in regard to this matter is looked forward to with much interest by all concerned—and it is a matter which seems to concern the entire population of the town, the village at least.

At the regular town meeting a committee of three, consisting of M. A. Will, C. V. Starbird and John Tirrell, were chosen to make due investigation and to get estimates of cost, etc., for bringing water into the town. Day Mountain pond, at a distance of two and one-half or three miles, has been spoken of and it has also been suggested that good results could be obtained by using wells on some of the neighboring hills—either Morrill or the hill near James Worthley's.

James McGregor of Rumford Falls was in town last week and made some estimates for the committee and it is understood that other civil engineers are to be in town very soon. The water which would be obtained if wells could be used from the neighboring mountains would in all probability be far superior to that which would come from the pond and it is thought the expense would be far below any figures that would bring water from Day pond.

The Epworth league had a business meeting last Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Smith. The topic of the next meeting of the league is "False and True Ambitions." The meeting will be led by Miss Avis Welch. At this meeting the pastor, G. C. Howard, will give several sacred solos and quartets on his phonograph, which will add much to the interest of the meeting.

Civil Engineer James McGregor of Rumford Falls was in town last week and put water into Hotel Strong, which is now supplied with the best of spring water.

Mrs. J. C. Tirrell and Mrs. W. R. Vining drove to Avon last Sunday, where they spent the day with their mother, Mrs. Witham, and sister, Mrs. Geo. Huff.

Henry F. Richards of Livermore Falls has gone into the shop of Charles Thompson, where he is doing blacksmith and job work. Mr. Richards has been in the employ of Will Staples of Livermore Falls for the past two years.

Charles Eustis, Walter Durrell and W. R. Vining are in Portland this week to attend the Grand lodge of Knights of Pythias as representatives from Marathon lodge of this town.

A dance, which has been termed as a "Semi Leap Year ball," was held in the hall last Saturday night. The ladies chose their partners for half of the dances and paid half of the dance expenses, but it was stated by one of the ladies that she thought the gentlemen chose "all the best dances" for their half. Dyer's orchestra furnished music.

A beautiful banner has been purchased by the Methodist Sabbath school to be presented to the class which has the largest collection per capita during the year and is to be held each year by the class which sustains this record. The banner is expected to be ready to be shown and presented next Sunday.

Many from this town attended the funeral of Roscoe A. Dyer, which was held at his late home last Saturday at 2 p. m.

G. C. Howard preached the funeral sermon and music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. C. B. Richardson, Frances Keene, M. A. Will and C. H. Conant. The bearers were Benj. Dodge, Chas. Hutchins, S. F. Brackley and Orren Brackley, all old neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Howard were pleasantly surprised last Saturday evening by receiving a May basket from the young people of the town. After the usual excitement which accompanies the hanging of a basket, the company was invited in and a very pleasant hour was spent with Mr. and Mrs. Howard during which Mr. Howard gave some selections on the phonograph and much sociability was indulged in.

Walter Jones and wife left last Monday for the Megantic preserve, where they will be in charge this summer. Mr. Jones took his help with him and the force consisted of his son, Ben, Emma and Cora Allen and John Durrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Dyer of Winona, Minn., who have been here for the past few weeks, returned to their home last Monday and were accompanied as far as Malden by Mrs. Clara Dyer and son, Malcolm, who will remain in Malden for a time, the guest of Mrs. Gertrude Morrill Records.

Enoch Staples, who has been ill for so long, had a second operation performed last Sunday, in which his side was reopened and a cleansing of the lungs made. Mr. Staples stood the operation very well and is even now considerably improved. Drs. Palmer and Bell were the attending physicians.

George Allen has purchased a farm just outside the village of Readfield and will soon move his family there. Mr. Allen and family will be much missed by their many neighbors and friends here.

Mrs. Dora Gilkey, who has been employed at West Farmington during the past winter, is in town this week and is selling her household goods.

Miss Stella Bangs is working for Mrs. Dennis Soule.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carville of Temple were the guests of Miss Mellie Kilkeny last week.

Miss Bessie Webster passed Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Edith Holmes of Wilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Carr of Weld spent Sunday in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carr.

Under the able instruction of Chas. Cunningham, Bowdoin '04, the school is progressing very finely indeed. It is understood that one or more of the graduating class intend to enter college on graduating from this school.

One pleasant afternoon a few days ago the High school went Mayflowering and judging by the appearances of the crowd on their return the results were good.

Miss Anna Norton, '01, is teaching the Mountain district school in Avon.

Ralph Worthley is now acting as coachman on the South Strong school team.

A noticeable improvement in the High schoolroom are the decorations of bunting on the sides and a draped American flag of silk in the rear of Mr. Cunningham's desk.

W. J. Morris, Jr., of Minneapolis and E. H. Jenkins of Augusta were in town last week selling the International Stock Food products.

W. B. Waldron of Lewiston was in town last week to purchase horses. Mr. Waldron returned this week and it is understood took some horses back with him.

Arthur Tucker of Farmington was in town this week in the interest of the Burnham & Morrill Company with whom he is engaged.

Chas. Gill and R. H. Manson of Rumford Falls were in town last week on business.

Miss Daddie Vining is working in the family of Dr. Bell.

Misses Nellie Starkey and Ina McIntire are boarding with Mrs. Jackman.

Frank Vehue is working for Edw. Hitchcock.

Mrs. Herbert Parlin was quite ill the first of the week.

Roy Atkinson of South Strong was in Phillips last Saturday.

Elton E. Carville of Flagstaff, formerly of this town, was here last Monday en route from Livermore Falls, where he has been visiting.

Miss Clair Knowlton called on friends in Phillips one day last week.

A three-pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Burton Dickey one day last week. Although the child is so very small it is remarkably smart and is said to be doing very well.

Fred Carr of Jackson, N. H., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carr. This is Mr. Carr's first visit to Maine for 17 years.

Mrs. Theo Kenniston, who is employed at Farmington, spent Sunday in

town with her parents.

Frank Goldsmith attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, Ed Roberts, at Farmington last week.

Lura Rowe of Phillips visited her sister, Maude, a few days last week.

The Misses Silver are boarding at Mrs. Keene's.

Mrs. C. H. Flye of Island Falls left town last Wednesday for Bangor, where she will spend a few days before returning to her home in Island Falls. Mrs. Flye will return to Strong later in the summer.

Several of the members of Marathon Lodge, K. of P., are to attend the meeting of Sandy River lodge of Phillips next Thursday night. Work will be in order at this meeting.

Dennis Clark is reported to have been very ill the first of the week, threatened with pneumonia.

John Norton has been on the sick list for some days past, but is now better.

Mrs. Ella G. Dow is stopping with Wm. Bates and wife.

A. C. Robbins has returned home from Livermore Falls.

Chas. Sharkey returned home from Kent's Hill Monday.

Ward Parlin is moving into the house formerly occupied by Leigh Haines.

Mrs. Grace Prescott of Farmington has been visiting her parents on Dyer hill.

Miss Bailey is now caring for Mr. Wm. Smith.

Mrs. Nelson Walker returned home Sunday from South Strong, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Partridge.

Mrs. Lydia Wells of Salem was in town recently.

Miss Florence Toothaker was in New Vineyard last Thursday.

Mr. Atwood of Phillips was in town Saturday.

Jesse Phillips has moved into Burt Dickey's house.

At the business meeting of the Epworth league Monday evening Mrs. Nelson Walker was chosen a delegate and Mrs. E. J. Gilkey, alternate to attend the biennial convention of the first district Epworth league at Newport, R. I., June 28-30, 1904.

Strong Churches.

Seeing Jesus, John xii, 21.

The natural attitude of the mind is one of expectancy and anticipation. We are constantly filling the future with creations of thought, hope and imagination of such quality as the materials used are capable of producing. Some object is sure to fill the eye of the mind. Many are one-sided in their views and fix the gaze on some incidental feature rather than on the factor of chief importance. The lumberman, the physician and the botanist would see different reasons for interest in a tree. So men see differently regarding proper objects for church attendance or Bible study. It becomes a question of which of several relationships is most important. We must learn to discriminate between things of more and of less importance and select the chiefest for supreme attention.

Comparatively few people saw Jesus in flesh, but they who did saw a man of vigorous constitution and blameless life, who taught the best sociological system and purest ethics ever desired and who embodied a principle new to men to "love one another." But many saw more than that then as many do today. All agree as to his sinlessness: the ground of disputation is touching his deity. The New Testament writers set forth a son of God and of man who had power to forgive sins; one whose presence should ever attend the progress of his kingdom; who did marvelous works and signs and wonders; whose power transcended all so-called natural law as these were obedient to his control. Christ was God tabernacled among men and some beheld his glory full of grace and truth.

Very few there are like Stephen who saw the Son of Man standing on the right hand of the throne of God, or like John on Patmos who communed with the Living One. There are very few who have been worthy of such privilege or for whom such an experience was necessary to fit them for their task.

To the great majority Christ is "whom having not seen ye love." He is our unseen Lord. His love for us constrains us to love him. "We love him because he first loved us." Faith and love are not dependent on natural union for their origin or endurance.

The greatest need of the world is a vision of life. To what shall we liken this union? No one can describe a sense of beauty, joy or love. There is something within us which appreciates a beautiful landscape or a view of ocean or splendid music. The real city always lies behind the buildings, railway lines and visible activities. So in life to unveil the deeper self within the soul of every man is to see Christ.

Christ has declared God to the world and whoever sees Christ has seen God. "No man cometh to the Father but by me." "He that hath seen me hath seen the Father." "Behold now are we sons of God and it doth not yet appear what we shall be, but we know that when he shall appear we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is."

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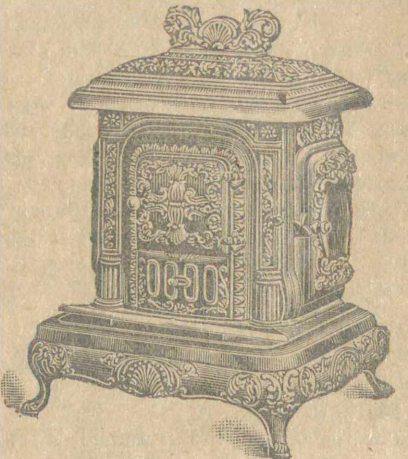
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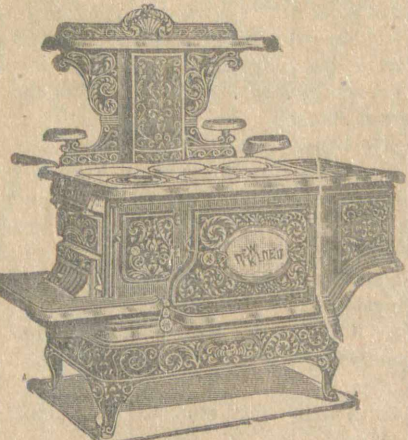
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"Don't you do it, Hezekiah; them is only idle dreams; Think of all the folks we've heard of that got beat on minin' schemes." Thus his good wife sagely counseled, but he laughed at her advice, and he sold the spotted heifer at a painful sacrifice, sold the roan mare and the filly, scraped up all the cash he could, and invested it as only a deluded bumpkin would.

Hezekiah Hopkins still is toiling for his bread; All the hopes he had of winning wealth in golden heaps are dead. He has learned a costly lesson, it is seldom that he smiles, and he says hard things concerning glib promoters and their wives, But weep not for Hezekiah, his is not a crushing woe, For the gentle wife who warned him never says: "I told you so."

—Saturday Evening Post.

—Miss Annie Bean has been confined to the house this week by illness.

—Rev. O. W. Peterson was in Lewiston and Brunswick this week.

—Miss Genevieve Harnden goes to Weld Friday, where she will do table work at The Maples.

—Mrs. Herbert Huntoon of Farmington spent last Sunday with relatives in Phillips.

—Mr. H. B. Woddell, manufacturer of the W. & B. cigar, was in Phillips this week.

—The F. B. Sewing circle will meet with Mrs. O. W. Russell, Wednesday afternoon, May 25.

—Miss Edith Bates went to Eustis last Tuesday, where she will be employed at Round Mountain Lake Camps.

—The grounds of F. Pope are being greatly improved by a granite curbing around the lot.

—F. H. Wilbur and A. W. Davenport have been drawn as jurymen, to serve at the present term of court at Farmington.

—Messrs W. C. and Carrol Whitney of Farmington are papering and painting and filling the hard wood floors in Mr. H. B. Austin's house.

—Dr. L. J. Holt will visit friends in Dover this week. During his absence his office will be closed from Friday, May 20, to Thursday, May 26.

—Miss Bessie Brown, stenographer at the Phillips & Rangeley railroad office, has been spending a few days at her home in Bath.

—N. P. Noble, Judge Morrison, J. B. Noble, H. F. Beedy and A. S. Blodgett are attending court at Farmington this week.

—Mrs. M. S. Kelley, Mrs. Colty Whittemore and two children spent a few days last week in Lewiston, returning home Monday.

—Raymond Ross's farm buildings were burned to the ground Saturday afternoon. The loss was \$1000. This farm is known as the David Toothaker or Ornan Wilbur farm. The cause of the fire is unknown. There was no insurance.

—Among those who took advantage of the excursion to Lewiston Thursday and Friday of last week were Mrs. Cora Millett, Mrs. F. H. Toothaker, Miss Sarah Toothaker, Mrs. Maria Beedy and daughter, Hazel, Mrs. J. F. Hilton and daughter, Helen, Mrs. Geo. Dennison, Mrs. Ada Staples, Mrs. Emery Bubier, Miss Emma Whitney, Miss Alice Hood, Mrs. C. Marchetti, Sidney Lohnas, C. A. Mahoney and Renaldo Brann.

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—Hon. I. W. Greene, county commissioner, was in Phillips, Wednesday.

—Twenty scholars from Little Blue school, Farmington, went to Redington, Wednesday, to stay until Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cragin are at San Diego, Calif., where they expect to reside.

—A business meeting of the F. B. circle will be held at the vestry, Monday evening, May 23. A full attendance is desired.

—Mrs. Sherman Whitney was quite ill last week from an attack of appendicitis. She has somewhat recovered, being able to be about the house some.

—Mr. F. H. Wilbur has set out a hedge of fir trees around his lawn, which will add much to the beauty of the place.

—J. C. Kennedy, salesman for the Berlin Mills company, and W. D. Noyes, both of Boston, were at Phillips Hotel Thursday of last week.

—C. A. Mahoney, proprietor of Phillips Hotel, is improving the appearance of his hotel by laying new carpets throughout the house.

NOTES ON NEEDLEWORK.

Home-Made Articles of Feminine Finery for the Season Now at Hand.

A pretty home-made article that is in style is a flannel petticoat of fine white flannel with a hair line of blue running through it. The seams are feather-stitched in the blue, and so are the square-cornered tabs at the bottom, which fall loose over a full ruffle of filmy lace.

The heart-shaped corsage sachet of white satin is to wear around the neck beneath the lingerie. The ribbon edge and bow make a pretty finish and it is suspended by a ribbon. Another corsage sachet on this order consists of two pads about two inches square, with a small bow in the center of each. They are fastened to the ends of a strip of baby ribbon. For the Japanese sachet, made of Japanese silk, a bag two and one-half by three inches, and in the top seam fasten a Japanese doll's head. Around its neck a ribbon is tied, stock fashion. The most popular sachet odors at present are sandalwood, orris and the Japanese perfumes.

The rage for hand-made articles of attire takes some beautiful forms, and the ones here described are such as may be easily imitated by any woman who knows how to use her needle. A very fashionable white crepe waist has its front, stock and cuffs embroidered with clusters of small, pink roses and forget-me-nots in ribbon embroidery. The bunches of flowers have their leaves and stems done in pale, dull shades of green and golden brown. The bunches of flowers are connected by and interspersed with little bowknots and loops and ends of ribbon. This ribbon effect is produced by outlining the supposed ribbon with a single gold thread and working small black dots, in embroidery silk, about an eighth of an inch apart between the gold lines. The effect is that of a dainty and novel ribbon. It is no wider, and probably not as wide, as baby ribbon.

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Births.

Strong, May 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Diekey, a daughter.

Wilton, April 29, 1904, to Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hardy, a son.

Deaths.

Wilton, April 29, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hardy.

Phillips, May 18, Mr. Frank Hunter, aged 28 years.

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It is about time to use

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and I want to call your attention in advance to the fact that I keep it in varieties to suit all fishing places in this vicinity.

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7 different styles in Ladies' Hose, black, tan and gray. 10 styles in Gents' hose. A good solid hose for boys. Infants' hose in black, red and white silk stripes. An entirely new line of up to date hosiery on sale by

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For first quality goods, my prices are the lowest.

We have a few articles to go free now, equivalent to 10c on a dollar purchase.

Come in, your money's worth guaranteed.

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